UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

a Delaware corporation,)
Plaintiff,)
v. The Fibre-Metal Products Company, a Delaware corporation,) Case No. 1:05cv590) Case No. 1:06cv191)
Defendant.) Hon. Robert J. Jonker)
Balder Optoelectronic Elements and Measuring Systems, Ltd.,)
Plaintiff,)
v.)
Jackson Products, Inc.))
Defendant,)

JOINT STATUS REPORT

Pursuant to the court's February 3, 2009 Order, the parties advise the court that they have entered into a settlement agreement and will be filing a dismissal with prejudice of the above cause of action. As part of the settlement agreement the parties have agreed to seek the vacature of the court's July 28, 2008, Claim Construction Opinion and Order [doc. no. 79]. Thus, the parties have filed concurrently with this Joint Status Report a Joint Motion to Vacate the Court's Claim Construction Opinion and Order. The parties anticipate filing the dismissal with prejudice after the court rules on the parties' Joint Motion to Vacate

the Court's Claim Construction Opinion and Order. There are no other litigation events remaining in the case.

Respectfully submitted,

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